

**MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

Do not use this space.

1925
File No. 1111
Registered No. 1111
St. Word

1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Jackson
Township Raw
City Kansas City

Registration District No. 1606
Primary Registration District No. Case

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2. FULL NAME

Mrs. Lulu Belle McLaughlin

(a) Residence No. 1606 Case St. Mo. Word Mo.

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 2 yrs. 00 mos. 00 da. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. da.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3. SEX Female
4. COLOR OR RACE white
5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) married

16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) March 21 1924

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF Frank McLaughlin

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from March 17, 1924, to March 21, 1924. That I last saw her alive on March 21, 1924, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 9:30 P.

6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) Mar. 17 1878

THE CAUSE OF DEATH WAS AS FOLLOWS:

7. AGE YEAR MONTHS DAYS If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
47 | 0 | 4 |

1924
Chronic Nephritis
with (duration) yrs. mos. da.

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Home
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) mother
(c) Name of employer

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY) 129 (duration) yrs. mos. da.

9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) Jackson Co.
(STATE OR COUNTRY) Lee's Summit Mo.

18. WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED
IF NOT AT PLACE OF DEATH

10. NAME OF FATHER Hillman Swatland

DID AN OPERATION PRECEDE DEATH? no DATE OF no
WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN) Mo.
(STATE OR COUNTRY)

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS Laboratory
(Signed) E. E. Evans, M. D.

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Rebecca McPherson

#127-1924 (Address) 825 Chubb Bldg

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN) Ohio
(STATE OR COUNTRY)

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS AND NATURE OF INJURY, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)

14. INFORMANT Hugh C. Myers
(Address) 2730 North

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Trenton Mo
DATE OF BURIAL 3/23 1924

15. FILED 3/23 1924 M. M. Brown REGISTRAR

20. UNDERTAKER Clyde Bros. 1800 Leewood
ADDRESS

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.)

Statement of Occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Compositor, Architect, Locomotive Engineer, Civil Engineer, Stationary Fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework or At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school or At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired, 6 yrs.)* For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *Nona*.

Statement of Cause of Death.—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report

"Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia; Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles, Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from child-birth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*), may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

NOTE.—Individual offices may add to above list of undesirable terms and refuse to accept certificates containing them. Thus the form in use in New York City states: "Certificates will be returned for additional information which give any of the following diseases, without explanation, as the sole cause of death: Abortion, cellulitis, childbirth, convulsions, hemorrhage, gangrene, gastritis, erysipelas, meningitis, miscarriage, necrosis, peritonitis, phlebitis, pyemia, septicemia, tetanus." But general adoption of the minimum list suggested will work vast improvement, and its scope can be extended at a later date.

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN.

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